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Applicant: Naoyuki KAMEI

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement in the Office Action of May 28, 2010, applicant hereby elects without traverse the Specie II of Figures 7-11 identified by the Examiner, which encompasses claims 1, 5 and 7. Applicant further responds as follows.